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Friday Sept. 4th, 1936.

Dear Q-C:

It is understood that the Boxboard Plant at Rittman will not be in operation for about three weeks and the Barberton GLU. has taken over the idea of giving some sort of relief to the Boxboard members till this time. It is said that the Pitts. Valve local has sent them 50.00 and the Diamond match voted them 50.00 tonight,

We hear that the Insulator boys have ironed out their troubles among themselves at a special meeting last night at which Nat. Organizer Hull gave them a good going over and told them the only hope they had was to stick together. The ones that had been going round with the petition asking for a change in the Committee agreed to lay off this plan and to go along with the Majority. to syick together till they all go back to work or non go back. We also heard that the International has sent them \$500.00 to help out till they see what they will do and have promised them more.

We heard that there was a hot debate at the Match meeting tonight. Ther is to be a membership Drive started by a house to house committee. this Comm. starts to work next Tues night at 6:00 PM. It is understood that there were a number of members present tonight that were not satisfied with this method but wanted to use force. Some wanted to go in to work Tues and have a sitdown till everyone signed up. others wanted to try the Seiberling plan and picket the Gate and send everyone home that did not have a card. It was finally understood to give the committee a chance to show what they can do and then if they fail to use more drastic action. It was also decided to hold meetings every two weeks on pay days herafter.

They attendance was about as usual at the match meeting being about 40. while the attendance at the Insulator was fairly good with 80 to 85 present.

It is understood that the Match Local is to get some strike benifits as this has been o k'd by Claherty but so far the money has not come in and this is causing some dissatisfaction among the membership.

Respectfully

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